## [APPARATUS FOR THE LASER PROCESSING OF WORKPIECES] ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

[The workpieces [sic] (3) fashioned, for example, as printed circuit board is moved between two laser units whose emitted laser beams are directed opposite one another.

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As a result thereof, two sides of the workpiece 3 can be congruently processed simultaneously with short dwell time.

Figure 1] An apparatus for the laser processing of workpieces with shortened processing time. Two laser units that can be simultaneously operated are directed towards each other. Workpieces, for example printed circuit boards, are moved between the two laser units such that the two sides of the workpieces are simultaneously processed. As a result the processing time is considerably shortened.